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Subject: RE: Clothianidin Bee Kill Incident

Hi Bob,

Thanks for sending along this clothianidin incident report. I'm looping in the current clothianidin EFED team (Kristin Jones and Chuck Peck) and the previous clothi biologist (Michael Wagman).

From the incident report, I see that this is for 29 colonies damaged in the Ukraine during a treated-corn seed planting event. How does EPA typically handle international incident reports? Will this be catalogued in IDS for future retrieval?

I am not sure about the University of Nebraska study you mentioned below. I don't think I have heard of it.

Thanks,

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Good morning Tom:

We received a clothianidin bee kill incident report from BASF. Under FIFRA 6(a)(2) Bayer is also required to report the this incident to OPP. It ticks me off when 6(a)(2) incident data is withheld from me.

Steve Ellis told me you received a neonicotinoid study by a University of Nebraska researcher. He said I might be interested in the study. Can please email the study to me?

Stay safe,

Bob

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